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Dear Harold,

Just wanted to let you and Lil Know how much we enjoyed seeing both of yaw again. Even though we didn't stay at your place this time, just the fact that we are welcome there is greatly appreciated. I also want to apologize for our rather quick departure on Wednesday. Both Mary and I were pretty disappointed over what had happened in Washington and we just wanted to get the hell home. The disappointment has just about vanished and I'm now more determined than ever to get a job on the Hill.

As I'm writing this, the news is on and Frank Church is talking about his sub committee's report on the assassination. I wasn't really surprised by what I heard, just disgusted. Hart flatly stated that as far as he's concerned, all serious evidence shows that Oswald was the sole assassin and that the purpose of any further inquiry should be to find out why Oswald did it. Now that they have a conclusion, they're going to have to work backwards to make everything fit Oswalds "motives". The Warren Commission is alive and well and living on the Hill! The news report also made a big deal over the fact that Church said his report will show that the FBI and CIA lied to the Warren Commission, implying that that was some great new discovery made in the course of his committee's investigations and that it shows just how complete and unbiased his investigation was. Man, are they putting up a smoke screen.

Thanks again for everything. If ever you have to come to Pittsburgh for anything, our doors are always open to you. Take care.

Karen